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It was while on this round yesterday that some words and a blow or two passed between Electrical Inspector Speights and Operator W. F. Thorpe at the Rex Theatre, corner of Seventh and Broad Streets.

It seems that Mr. Speights criticized Manager Thorpe for not keeping films as required by the electrical code, and for allowing smoking in the operating room. The argument waxed warm. Thorpe called the inspector a liar, and a blow followed. Chief Werner arrested Thorpe on the spot, and he and the Mayor will appear as the witnesses when the case is called this morning. Fire Chief Joynes and Inspector Beck had stepped outside when the altercation arose.

Company Has Smoker.

Company A, of the First Regiment, made the best showing in attendance at the State inspection of the battalion this week. Captain W. A. Herbert was so much gratified at the attendance and appearance of his men that he lendered the company a smoker after inspection. The officers of the cherter companies of the battalion were guests.

Band Meets Sunday.

A meeting of the rachitect show an imposing structure facing on two streets. The object of the congregational comy mittee in charge has been to attain with an imposing external appearance of L worship, and plans were considered scarefully before final selection was made. The estimated cost of the row to thurch is \$70,000 With the actual breaking of ground to-morrow the work of erection will proceed without in delay, and the new church will be ready for occupancy within the short-ton the witnesses sincident to the battalion of the special music by the choir of the church and other features. A full attendance of the consol will be presented. The members will meet the church and other features. A full attendance of the consol will be presented. The members will meet the care of the consol will be presented. The members will dead in the special music by the choir of the church is Rev. William L. Ball.

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ful Decrease in Mortality Rate.

BUT FOUR DEATHS IN JULY

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In July there were 258 deaths—129 white and 129 colored—making a death rate, excluding non-residents, of 21.24—a white death rate of 16.44 and a colored death rate of 29.57. The total number of deaths was twenty-one less than in-June and fourteen more than in July of last year. There were 197 births. The bulletin says:

"The typhold fever situation continues to be the best of any year on record. When it is recalled that in 1909 the number of cases of this disease were reduced to figures remarkably lower than had ever been reached before, the significance of the further reduction effected this year is apparent There were four deaths from typhoid fever in July, against nine last year, against ninety-one last year, and thirty-five cases on hand at the end of the month, against some notable since.

FOR NEW CHURCH

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# Band Meets Sunday. A meeting of the proposed band for the Second Infantry, to be affiliated with the local battalion of the First Infantry, will be held Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Fraternity Hall.

On a charge of "joy riding" in a buggy on West Franklin Street, about 3 o'clock yesterday morning, Jessle Kellam, Lotte Gardner and Charles Sprull were each fined \$10 and costs in Police Court.

When arrested, the Kellam woman tried to commit suicide by swallowing the contents of a philar of laudanum, declaring she had rather die than appearin Police Court. She was prevented from drinking the polson by Officers Belton and Samuels.

# SETTLING BASIN URGE REDUCTION ASKS DESIGNS LESSENS TYPHOID IN RAILWAY RATES FOR NEW BRIDG

Structure.

FIGHT OVER WEST END ALLEY

Abutting Property Owners Un-

willing to Have It Graded

and Paved.

Farmers' Associations Say C. & Street Committee Opens Competition for Plans for \$250,000 O. Charges Too Much on Air Line.

CLAIM BAGGAGE MONOPOLY

Virginia Travelers Protest Against Giving Business to Single Company.

Two matters of great importance to large portions of the Virginia public were taken up yesterday by the State Corporation Commission, and formal orders issued against the defendants one of these is a petition for the reduction of rates on the Virginia Air Line, a division of the Chesapeake and Chio, and the other is an effort to prevent railway companies giving monopolies to baggage transfer concerns in towns and cities.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway is cited to appear before the Corporation Commission on Wednesday, October 5, at 11 o'clock, to answer a proceeding instituted in the name of the Common.

Property owners galore passed before the Committee on Streets last night to protest against the request of the Gordon Motor Company that the quest of the Gordon Motor Company that the committee, after hearing what they had to say, and some of them made rather heated remarks, recommended to the Council committees met at the City Hall last night and organized for company, saying that it was necessary in order to gain access to the rear of the building. The citizens explained that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and stated that the alley in its present condition suited them, and st More than a month behind its usual time, the monthly bulletin of the City Health Department, covering statistics of conditions in Richmond for July, came from the printer yesterday. Dr. Levy explains that the vacation sean, followed by a mass of routine matters, necessitated delay in preparing the conv.

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## MISSED GOOD JOB BY BEING THERE ON TIME

Without missing a quorum, eight Council committees met at the City Hall last night and organized for business, electing chairmen and subchairmen, and fixing their regular times for meeting. Two other committees—Light and Streets—which had previously organized, were also in session for the transaction of routine business. The new Council is making a record. Its committees have not yet missed a quorum, and every one has met on time. In fact, the Committee on St. John's Burying Ground got ahead of time. Gilbert K. Pollock, mentioned as a possible chairman, came at the hour announced, and found that all he could do was to congratuate late Jefferson C. Powers, who had been held and that all he could do was to congratuate late Jefferson C. Powers, who had been elected. The only committee yet to organize is that on Improvement of the James River, made up of Council—men, Aldermen and representatives of the City Engineer and Gelegation, Messrs. Powers and Grimes, with provided property. them at expense, but inconvenience.

Seeing that the question of assessing damages would come up, City Engineer Bolling, while the discussion was in progress, said that he could not continue to estimate such damages for the city, and thought this a good time to call the committee's attention to the necessity of naming a special man for that purpose.

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Property Owners Protest.

After several of the abutting property: owners had been heard, T. M. Wortham, representing ninety-seven feet of the property, called attention to the great amount of damage that would be done. "I want to know," he said, "If the committee intends to pass this resolution over the protest of all these citizens?"

"That is for the committee to decide by ballot," said Chairman Adams. -ie vote was against the citizens.

Mr. Wortham stated that though they were beaten in the committee the fight would not be given up. It is their intention, according to him, to employ counsel and fight the matter on the floor of the Council. Among those who appeared before the committee were James Augustine, James McGraw, the Chamber of Commerce. 'Ine Cham ber will have to hold a general-meeting, nominate seven men, who will
then have to be elected by the City
Council, sitting in joint session. Until
that is done the committee cannot
organize, and the whole matter of
crecting city wharves is up in the
air. Publication of the Council manual
will be held back until after that
election.

Some New Chairmen.

Committee Chairmen were elected
yesterday as follows;
Street Cleaning—Councilman Julius
A. Hobson, chairman; Alderman Henry ber will have to hold a general meet

A. Hobson, chairman; Alderman Henry A. Hobson, chairman; Alderman Henry
Donohoe, subchairman and auditor.
Time of meeting, first and sixteenth of
each month at 8 P. si.
Grounds and Buildings—Councilman
Claude L. Batkins, chairman; Alderman
Waverly Melton, subchairman; Frank
T. Bates, clerk; A. W. Bennett, auditor;
time of meeting, first and third Thurs-James Augustine, James McGraw, Thomas Atkinson and others. Opposition was made to the paving of Shook's Alley on the ground that

of Shook's Alley on the ground that it was in reality a street and not an alley, and the work should be paid for by the city, and not the abutting property owners.

Street Car Matters.

Extension of trackage in the West En d asked for by the Virginia Rallway and Power Company and the Richmond and Henrico Railway Company was referred to a subcomm...ee time of meeting, first and third Thurs time of meeting, first and third Thursdays at 8 P. M.
Ordinance, Charter and Reform—
Ccuncilman Jacob Umlauf, chairman;
Alderman Marx Gunst, subchairman,
Local Assessments—Councilman B. A.
Gill, chairman; Alderman A. C. Nelsen,
subchairman.
St. John's Burying Ground—Councilman Leferson C. Powers, chairman; Al-

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Council. After prolonged debate the matter was left to the ward selegation, Messrs. Powers and Grimes, with the City Engineer with power to act, within the limits of the present appropriation to Chimborazo Park,

The Light Committee approved its bills and payrolls and authorized several extensions. Superintendent Knowles was authorized to attend the meeting of the American Gas Institute in New York on October 19 at a cost not to exceed \$55.

The surprise of the chairmanship elections was in Local Assessments, where B. A. Gill, of Washington Ward, was selected. Mr. Seaton, who made the nomination, said he thought the new ward should have a chairmanship, and the name of Mr. Fergusson, the former chairman, was not presented. No one has been slated for the chairmanship of the Committee on Improvement of the James River, Mr. Garber, the former chairman, having retired from the Council.

## TAXI RUNS AMUCK

Surrey Received Worst of Go With Machine and Is Picked Up With a Fork.

Dr. Fraser Convolencing.
Dr. Thomas Fraser, who was operated on for appendicitis last week, is now rapidly convalescing, and is expected to be able to leave the hospital by the laster part of next week.